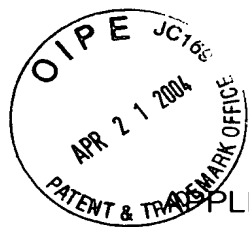


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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sirs:

This Amendment is in response to the non-final Office Action dated October 21, 2003. A three-month period was set for response to the Office Action bringing a response to be due on or before January 21, 2004. A three-month petition for extension of time to respond to the Office Action, and fee by way of authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 50-2510, accompanies this Amendment, bringing a response to be due on or before April 21, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 and appended to this Amendment as a replacement drawing sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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